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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate

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Senator Ausley moved the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Between lines 306 and 307

insert:

Section 8. Racial impact studies.—

(1) The Department of Health shall require the fetal and infant mortality review committees established under s. 383.21625, Florida Statutes, to conduct a racial impact study, including a comprehensive review of existing literature on fetal and infant mortality disparities, for the purpose of determining the factors associated with high fetal and infant mortality



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12 rates among minority populations and the best practices to
13 address these disparities.

14 (2) The Department of Health shall conduct a racial impact
15 study of maternal mortality, including a comprehensive review of
16 existing literature on maternal mortality disparities, for the
17 purpose of determining the factors associated with
18 disproportionately high rates of maternal mortality among
19 minority populations and the best practices to address these
20 disparities.

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22 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

23 And the title is amended as follows:

24 Delete line 40

25 and insert:

26 Public Health; providing an appropriation; requiring
27 the department to require the fetal and infant
28 mortality review committees to conduct a racial impact
29 study on fetal and infant mortality disparities for
30 specified purposes; requiring the department to
31 conduct a racial impact study on maternal mortality
32 disparities for specified purposes; providing